Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Amount sanctioned (Rs. in lakhs)
7.	Ferry launch for Kanyakumari	39.07
8.	Floodlighting of Vivekananda Rock Memorial at Kanyakumari	11.19
	1990-91	
9.	Upgrading facilities at the ITDC unit, Kanyakumari	10.00
	1991-92	
10.	Beautification of beach at Kanyakumari	6.00
11.	A/c units at Kanyakumari	3.00
	1992-93	
12.	Yatri Niwas at Rameshwaram	44.78
	1993-94	
13.	Renovation & modification of POW type of special tourist train to be run between Madras and Rameshwaram	48.00
	1994-95	
14.	Ferry launch for Kanyakumari, Vivekananda Rock Memorial	39.07
	1995-96	
15.	Tourist complex at Kanchipuram	24.60
	1996-97	
16.	View tower at Kanyakumari	30.00
17.	Refurbishment of Vellore Fort	26.60

योजना आयोग के कार्यदल का पर्यटन को बढ़ावा देने के संबंध में सुझाव

3333. **श्री ईश दत्त यादव:**
श्री राम गोपाल यादव:

क्या **पर्यटन** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या योजना आयोग के कार्यदल ने देश में पर्यटन को बढ़ावा देने के लिए सरकार को कोई सुझाव दिया है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो वे सुझाव कौन से हैं और उनमें से मुख्य सुझावों की विशेषताएं क्या हैं;

(ग) क्या सरकार ने इस पर कोई निर्णय लिया है;

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ङ) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं और कब तक कोई निर्णय लिए जाने की संभावना है;

(च) क्या कार्य दल ने नौवीं पंचवर्षीय योजना के लिए संरचनात्मक परिवर्तन संबंधी कोई रूपरेखा भी बनाई है; और

(छ) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है तथा सरकार द्वारा इस पर क्या निर्णय लिया गया है?

संसदीय कार्य और पर्यटन मंत्री (श्री श्रीकान्त कुमार जैना): (क) से (छ) देश में पर्यटन का विकास करने के लिए नौवां परियोजना प्रस्ताव तैयार करने हेतु योजना आयोग द्वारा कार्यदल का गठन किया गया था। कार्यदल ने निम्नलिखित को शुरू करने की सिफारिश की:—

1. आधारभूत संरचना का एकीकृत विकास।
2. उत्पाद विकास और विविधिकरण।
3. पर्यटक सरलीकरण को बढ़ाना।
4. उद्यम विकास और स्वतः रोजगार अवसर।
5. मानव संसाधन विकास।
6. अनुसंधान और कम्प्यूटरीकरण।
7. संवर्धन और विपणन।
8. पर्यावरणीय संरक्षण और सांस्कृतिक परिरक्षण।
9. प्रोत्साहनों की व्यवस्था।
10. निगरानी और मूल्यांकन और
11. संगठन का सुदृढ़ीकरण।

कार्यदल की सिफारिशें पर्यटन विभाग के नौवें योजना प्रस्तावों में शामिल कर ली गई हैं। तथापि, कार्यदल ने नौवीं योजना के लिए संरचनात्मक परिवर्तन संबंधी अलग से कोई रूपरेखा तैयार नहीं की है।

National Tourism Policy 1977

3334. DR. ALLADI P. RAJKUMAR: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have formulated a National Tourism Policy, 1977;

(b) if so, the broad outlines thereof; and

(c) what percentage of increase in foreign tourist inflow to India is expected thereby?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND TOURISM (SHRI SRIKANTA KUAMR JENA): (a) to (c) The Government has not formulated any National Tourism Policy in 1977. However, a draft National Tourism Policy was formulated in 1977 and circulated to the agencies concerned with tourism including the members of Parliament, State Governments and Industry Associations. The Policy takes into account the liberalised economic policies of the Government and the emergence of tourism as an important instrument for sustainable human development. The policy aims at achieving diversifaction of tourism product and its sustainable developemnt as a co-ordinated effort of the Central Government, State Governments and the Private Sector. The policy being a long-term perspective, no specific growth targets and indicated.

Master Plan for Funding Tourism Infrastructure in Rajasthan

3335. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether project profile for updating tourism infrastructure for external assistance for Hadoti, Jaipur and Sawai Madhopur still pending with his Ministry, inspite of request for an early action by Rajasthan Government;

(b) whether Master Plan for funding tourism infrastructure in Rajasthan with an estimated cost of Rs. 2000 crores also pending with Government; and

(c) if so, the progress made and action taken on all such proposals received up to 31st March, 1997 and the details in respect of each case pending with his Ministry including conservation of Major Monuments from tourist angle in Rajasthan?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND TOURISM (SHRI SRIKANTA KUMAR JENA): (a) The Department of Tourism proposes projects for external funding to Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance. For Rajasthan, the department of Tourism has sent the following projects to the Department of Economic Affairs for External Funding.—

(1) Integrated Infrastructure Development of Tourism in the Desert Triangle.

(2) Integrated Infrastructural Development of Tourism in the Shekhawati Region.

(3) Integarated Infrastructural Development of Tourism in the lower Region.

(b) The State Govt. has prepared a Master Plan for the Development of Tourism in Rajasthan which includes Government and Private Sector Participation.The Master Plans are implemented by the State Govt. over a long term period.

(c) The development and promotion of Tourism is primarily the responsibility of the State/Union Territory Governments, however, the Department of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance to the State Govts. for Projects/Schemes based on their merits, inter se priority